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Registration Open for Algonquin District Pinewood Derby | April 20, 2024 - 2pm to 4:45pm | Register by April 13   *No Walk-In Racers Allowed*

Dear Algonquin Cub Scout Packs,

The **2024 Algonquin District Pinewood Derby will be held on Saturday, April 20** at Our Lady of Fatima's Breen Hall (5 Strathmore Road, Scarsdale NY).

The Derby team welcome's assistance from Pack Leaders. If you can spare two hours to help, please contact chughes108@gmail.com.

RACE DAY SCHEDULE – April 20, 2024

2:00pm to 2:45pm **Check-In / Car Inspection** (arrive in the beginning of the time slot to allow inspection; racers who arrive in the last 15 minutes may not meet the cut-off time

2:45pm **Cut Off Time:** Cars must fully complete inspection by this time

~3:00pm to 4:15pm **Opening Ceremony & Race**

4:30pm **Award Ceremony** for Speed & Design

Online Registration is OPEN:
- Deadline to Register: April 13, 2024
- Each Pack's Cubmaster or Committee Chair is required to register the winning racers from their Pack's Pinewood Derby. Parents do not register their scouts as individual racers.
- Fee is $12 per scout (online payment).
- LINK: https://mycouncil.ghvbsa.org/Event/7386

Official District Rules
- Available at https://www.pack6crestwood.org/algonquin-pinewood-derby

Award Categories
- Speed: 1st, 2nd and 3rd Place by Rank
- Speed: Fastest Overall - 1st Place & Runner Up
- Design: Five Design Categories

Registration Tips
- **Racers need to be in attendance and in full Class A uniform (blue or tan shirt with neckerchief/slide)**

- **Each Pack can register a maximum of one car per rank for a total of six racers. These should be each Pack's 1st Place Winners**—one from each rank—Lion, Tiger, Wolf, Bear, Webelos and Arrow of Light scouts. If a Pack does not have a racer for all ranks, it can register fewer than six racers.
- **If you are signing up less than six scouts**, please email chughes108@gmail.com so we do not worry there is a mistake and think we are missing a scout/rank.
- **If your 1st Place winner is not available, please invite the 2nd Place car as a substitute.**
- **INCLUDE the scouts' name and rank during registration.** Name and rank needed for racing software.
- **If you forget to supply the names on the registration system,** send an email to chughes108@gmail.com with the name and rank of each racer.

General Tips *IMPORTANT HIGHLIGHTS*

The District's Official Pinewood Derby rules, regulations and specifications will be posted to the "Resources" tab at the event's online registration page. Be sure to review the Official Rules, regulations, and specifications in order to make sure that you and your scout have a fun time, with no surprises. Below are NOT the complete rules, highlight key factors:

- **Racers must be PRESENT at Check-in & Inspection and wearing their CUB SCOUT UNIFORM** (blue or tan uniform shirt and neckerchief/slide) to enter his/her own car into competition. Street clothes and Pack t-shirt are not suitable.
- **Cut-off time for Check-in & Inspection is 2:45pm.**
- **All cars will be inspected and must meet the Algonquin District's Official Rules for construction including but not limited to:**
  - Maximum weight of 5.00 ounces without going over.
  - All four wheels must touch the track and roll. Must use the pre-cut slots for axles. Do not use axle guards; axles must be visible for inspection. No bent axles.
  - Weights on the bottom of the car should ensure track clearance.
  - No wet paint on cars. No loose parts.
  - Lubrication can be applied to cars before, but not after inspection/registration.
  - **Be Prepared for car inspection!** Racers are advised to bring a personal supply of weight and necessary tools to make adjustments during check-in/inspection.

If there are any questions, please contact Celeste Hughes (contact info below).
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Information Required for Pinewood Derby Entrants:

Pack Number: **Community:**

Lion Name:	Tiger Name:	Wolf Name:
Bear Name:	Webelos Name:	Arrow of Light Name:
Pack contact name:	Contact's Registered Position:	
Cell Phone Number:	E-mail address:	